

The Edmonton Capital

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TAX RATE FIXED HALF MILL LOWER

Taxes This Year Will Be at the Rate of Seventeen Mills

SITE OF PENITENTIARY

Council Passes Strong Resolution in Favor of Removal to Less Congested District

This year's tax was fixed by the city council last night at seventeen and a half mills on the dollar. The following figures were submitted by Commissioner Butchart:

For general purposes, \$244,213.18;

rate, 80 mills.

For debentures, (sinking fund with interest) \$106,662.25; rate, 30 mills.

For Edmonton school district No. 7, \$12,500.00; rate, 42 mills.

For St. Joachim's school district, \$13,289.04; rate, 42 mills.

Total rate, 17 mills.

This year's rate is a half a mill lower than the rate in 1909 as the following figures show:

General purposes..... \$108 mills.

For debentures..... \$108 mills.

For schools..... 3.44 mills.

Total rate..... 17.5 mills.

The bylaw necessary to ratify this rate was a lengthy one and occupied nearly an hour in reading. He recited all the bylaws previously passed by the city.

The city assessor presented a statement of taxes to be paid off by the city, consisting of taxes on property belonging to the city itself, and amounts in assessment, etc., amounting to \$406,767. It also contained the base rate and income tax for the last four years which were not collectable.

Some of these items were made up from persons who were only a short time in the city and left before the rate was levied, and others who failed to pay.

The whole amount was \$2,806.43 and the issuance of a check for the same was authorized.

Removal of Penitentiary

A resolution favoring the removal of the penitentiary was passed unanimously. Ald. Gariepy was responsible for the moving of the resolution which means a determined fight will be necessary if prolonged one, the city fathers for justice in connection with the penitentiary. Ald. Gariepy made a speech in favor of protest and was followed by Ald. Armstrong, the second of the motion, who shared like views.

The mayor, also had some thing to say in the way of shaking a stick at the Dominion Government for its indifference. The resolution as follows explains himself:

"Resolved that this council believes it to be the unanimous desire of the citizens of Edmonton that the penitentiary should remove from its present site; although we do not wish that institution to be taken away from our district, we believe that some location not so near the centre of the city should be found which would be advantageous to the institution in all respects."

"Resolved also that our commissioners do enter into communication at once with the Department of Justice at Ottawa, with a view of finding in some definite form on what basis such removal could be secured in the near future, and that the Minister of Justice be requested to send some official to the grounds to look them over and discuss the matter fully with this council."

"Resolved further that this council place itself on record as being in favor of giving in exchange for the present site a plot of land as large or larger, to be selected by the Department of Justice, offering similar advantages as to the quality of the land, vicinity of water, water-works, electric light, telephone and street car accommodation, and even to pay any pecuniary compensation which may be reasonably required in payment for the buildings and other improvements now lying on the present site, if the department chooses to turn over the present site and buildings to the city."

"Resolved also that unless the representations to be made by the commissioners to the Department of Justice make satisfactory and rapid headway, that this council do appoint a strong committee, composed of itself and influential business men of this city, to draft a petition in the matter

SIXTY YEARS OLD,
SENT TO PRISON

As Town Treasurer Forged Notes
Amounting to Three Hundred
Thousands Dollars

Cambridge, Mass., June 28.—Prison doors closed yesterday for ten years nearly since the "Old John J. Lombard," former town treasurer of Boston, who had confessed to forging town notes aggregating \$3000 during the past ten years. He is 60 years old. Lombard collapsed when the clerk read the sentence of not less than ten years and not more than fifteen years in the state prison.

FIVE KILLED IN GAS EXPLOSION

Explosion Set Fire to Saloon and
Men Were Caught in the
Flames

ELEVEN OTHERS INJURED

The Accident Happened in Road-
house Five Miles North of
Minneapolis

Minneapolis, Minn., June 29.—Five men were killed and eleven injured, two of them probably fatally, by explosion which first wreathed and then set fire to the saloon of Edward Bushay, five miles north of Minneapolis, the Anoka road last evening.

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Moreover Roman Catholic subjects of the Crown had grown enormously and number and strength and no one doubted that they really supposed their loyalty required to be hedged about by a special safeguard.

Mr. Asquith pointed out the offensiveness of the declaration to the Sovereign himself. It was well known that the late King Edward found it a most repugnant duty to have to attend his preposterous son, directed against so many of his loyal subjects. There were other statutes existing safeguarding the Protestant faith and the Protestant succession.

Balfour Supports It

Balfour joined the Premier in his appeal to defer the inevitable discussion until the second reading of the bill. He thought the change ought to be made, if they could adequately safeguard the Protestant succession in order to remove the offence to the King's royal subjects.

Mr. Reid, who welcomed the bill, said Catholics would challenge the statement that no steps were considered necessary to secure the Protestantism of the Sovereign and Protestant succession to the throne.

The proposed alteration was unique to the members of one church.

Captain Craig opposed the proposal because the Church of Rome was a temporal as well as a spiritual power. Opposition came also from Sir C. Grey, W. Moore, Agar-Robartes and Hon. Neil Primrose, whilst several other members in the course of brief speeches gave the bill their support.

COLLIE RAISING FOUR LION CUBS

Lioness Refused to Do Her Duty

and Canine Came to the
Rescue

Chicago, June 29.—If you wish to see the novel sight of a lassomotherly collie dog raising a family of four lion cubs go to Lincoln park, Emma Eames, the big lioness, has proved herself not the best of mothers, and when four fury cubs were born to her on Thursday night, she promptly abandoned them. Cy De Vry heard animal keeper of the park, gave them their first meal out of a regulation nursing bottle, and then sent out a call for help. Arthur Clark, Union station and Fifth street, telephoned that he had a collie who was nursing the loss of a litter of pups. De Vry lost no time in making arrangements and introducing the cubs to their foster mother.

ATTACHMENT ON RADIO TELEPHONE

Not a Mechanic Contrivance,
But a Legal Process by
a Creditor

New York, June 29.—An attachment was made yesterday upon the wireless station of Elmer E. Burlingame's \$200,000,000, Radio Telephone Company in the metropolitan tower and on the room number 66 Broadway because of its failure to pay a debt of \$1,300, alleged to be due for apparatus.

The action was taken by John Firth, president of the Wireless Specialty Apparatus Company, of No. 81 New street. Mr. Firth referred all inquiries to his attorney, W. Bernard Vause, in the Mills Building. Mr. Vause said he did this because he learned that the Radio Telephone Company, in spite of its huge capitalization and its glittering promises to stockholders, had no money.

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Marriage Licenses issued. Jackson Bros., Jewellers.

ASQUITH EXPLAINS NEW DECLARATION

Offensive Words Not Needed to
Guard Protestant Succession to the Throne

BAILEY IN FAVOR OF IT

Says Change Should Be Made if
Protestant Succession Can
Be Safeguarded

London, June 29.—Mr. Asquith yesterday introduced the bill to amend the King's declaration. He pointed out that, curiously enough, at its inception in 1679 and for years afterwards it had nothing whatever to do with the accession to the throne, and the sovereign was not required to take it. The declaration was taken by all means of both Houses and these were described as sworn subjects of the Sovereign.

In 1701, when the declaration was originally framed, it was for different purpose and for an entirely different class of person. It was introduced to protect the Crown. The declaration was framed at a time of great popular excitement, under the belief that a great conspiracy had been hatched to murder the Sovereign, subvert the Protestant religion and destroy the liberties of the people. No canon of law would deny that circumstances in all material respects had vitally changed since then.

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It was well known that he was a very religious man and was a strict Catholic.

The trams will be equipped in the most up to date and modern fashion and will be models of comfort. There will be sleeping and dining cars attached, and altogether the new service ought to mean a new era in connecting Edmonton with the east.

The time table is as follows:

Eastbound

Leave Edmonton, 9:30 a.m.
Arrive Saskatoon, 10:15 p.m.

Westbound

Leave Winnipeg, 3:30 a.m.
Arrive Saskatoon, 7:30 a.m.
Arrive Edmonton, 8:15 p.m.

WHERE HAS THE ADMIRAL BEEN?

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REGENT COMMANDS A REINCARNATION

Buddhist Priest Was Wrongly
Beheaded and is to Be
Reinstated

Peking, June 29.—Tardy justice is to be done to a Tibetan Hoottoko, a high priest of Buddhism, who lost his head when he incurred the displeasure of the recently deposed Dalai Lama, the religious head of the Buddhist church in Tibet. Last Saturday, he is to be rehanded and his title and wealth restored.

This is ordered in an imperial edict issued today by Prince Chun, the regent of China.

The throne now finds that it was deceived by the Dalai Lama, who obtained the execution on the grounds that the high priest had attempted the former's life by sorcery.

The process of reincarnation will be similar to that of a Dalai Lama. Infants of certain blood, displayed when they possess the soul and all the details will be assembled and their names written upon slabs of metal and sealed. These will be placed in a large urn of precious metal, drawn by chance one of the names

CONVICT STABS FELLOW CONVICT

Both Men Are Life Prisoners and
Both Were Convicted of
Murder

Jackson, Miss., June 29.—George Badger, life convict from Berrien county, lies at the prison hospital, bound in a chair with a knife wound inflicted by his fellow condemned convict whose only mode of locomotion is a wheeled chair. During a baseball game at Harrison, without any provocation, Shivers whopped at a knife and felled Badger in the side making a gashed wound. Both men are murderers. Shivers has been in prison over twenty years.

DAILY SERVICE

ON GRAND TRUNK

Thirty-Hour Trains to Winnipeg
Will be Inaugurated Next
Sunday Morning

Official announcement was made this morning by the local officials of the Grand Trunk-Pacific Railway that a daily through express service between Edmonton and Winnipeg will be inaugurated next Sunday morning. The first train will leave this city at 9:30 in the morning and will reach Winnipeg at 4:30 Monday afternoon.

The western service gives the time of departure from Winnipeg at 3 p.m. and arrival at 6:30 a.m. the next day. This means that there will be a thirty-four hour service between Edmonton and Winnipeg.

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HIS NATIONALITY NO EASY QUESTION

Immigrant Son Was Born on
German Boat—Parents Were
Americans

If a boy was born on a German steamer, flying the German flag, brought from the United States to a port in Great Britain and he was the son of Canadian-born parents, but naturalized Americans, what nationality would the boy be?

That was the question that, on the immigration officials had to answer when Charles A. Dufex and his son, Donovan entered the immigration office yesterday. After some thought the official marked "German" after the boy's name, to which Dufex senior took a decided objection, adding the argument that if a white man was born in China it would not be fair to call him a Chinaman. After some argument, the word "German" was crossed out and "American" substituted.

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SPLENDID CROPS ABOUT EDMONTON

Secretary of the Board of Trade
Reports Fine Conditions in
This District

RESERVE OF MOISTURE

In Spite of Small Rainfall All the
Crops Seem to Have Done
Excellently

Mr. F. T. Fisher, secretary of the board of trade, recently took an extended drive through the district lying to the east of Edmonton, with a view to obtaining first hand information as to the actual crop conditions Clover Bar, Hortonburg, East Clever Bar and Agricola were visited.

Mr. Fisher went prepared to find considerable damage, as a result of the long period of dry weather that has prevailed. The drought-resistant nature of our soil is such, however, that it has been able to draw the reserve moisture in the ground to such an extent that a stranger or anyone not fully familiar with normal conditions, would have no suspicion that there had been a most unusual period of dry weather. On every hand the pasture is rich and abundant and all cattle seen were in splendid condition. Many fine fields of wheat were seen. Timothy and alfalfa are, at present, somewhat short, but in good healthy condition and with the rain which has fallen during the last two days, these crops have sprung up rapidly. Other crops are, however, in poor condition. Sisal crops are some what short but not a single field was passed which did not appear in their early and very healthy and satisfactory condition. The plants are strong and of a good rich green color. Even though the recent rains, a good average crop was assured. With the rain we are now receiving, a big crop may be looked for.

In many fields examined tests were made for moisture and in every case, though the surface was dry as gunpowder, moisture was found quite close to the surface. This season will, as always, be a dry one, soil our having been subjected to a heavy rainfall which comes up from beneath and enables vegetation to maintain good healthy growth during a long period of dry weather. Other districts, having a lighter soil, and possibly subjected to drying winds, will have no such reserve of moisture from which to draw and under such conditions, a very much greater rainfall is necessary to preserve a healthy growth.

One field, visited by Mr. Fisher, was of particular interest as illustrating this idea of reserves of moisture. A field was visited in the Great Western Lumber Company's log drives from the limits to the mill at Red Deer, was fatally injured yesterday by his horse, falling on him. He attempted to mount the steep bank of the Bearberry creek at Hagans bridge, 21 miles west of Olds, when his horse overturned in him carrying him to the bottom. He was rushed to the Red Deer hospital, but died twenty minutes after reaching here.

**BABY KILLED IN
BIG WIND STORM**

It Struck Weyburn, Sask., With
Terrible Force and Did Much
Damage

Weyburn, Sask., June 29.—A terrible wind storm passed over this section last night about 8 o'clock. Automobiles, outbuildings, lumber piles and boxes were lifted and carried in all directions. Mr. Marshall Stewart's large feed stable on Second street, near the Soo hotel, had the roof lifted completely off and thrown with terrific force on the machinery and carriages in the yard doing considerable damage.

The greatest damage occurred on the farm of George Poff, who lives 7 miles east of here, his house and farm buildings both being completely destroyed. Mrs. Poff had her arms broken in flying timbers in her attempt to rescue her infant son, but before she could reach the radio a board struck the child, causing almost instant death.

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FIRED AT TRAIN GOES TO PRISON

Sent Bullet After New York Pass-
enger Train—Gets Five
Years

Poughkeepsie, N.Y., June 28.—Not less than five nor more than ten years in Sing Sing prison was the sentence dealt out to Jasper Price yesterday by Justice Morschaer in the Supreme court, because Price fired a bullet at a New York Central passenger train.

MANITOBA FLOUR AT \$5.40

Toronto, June 29.—Manitoba flour has jumped ten cents per barrel, it is now quoted at \$5.40.

SUFFRAGETTES ON WAR PATH AGAIN

Militant Methods Are to Be Re-
sumed if Government Does
Not Give In

WILL NOT PAY TAXES

Woman's Suffrage League An-
nounces Plan of Passive Re-
sistance to Government

London, June 29.—After months of comparative inactivity the militant suffragettes are stirring to life again and are threatening another campaign more vigorous than ever before if their leaders are not to be believed.

The militant suffragettes projected earlier, is the refusal of Alberta women to pay equal suffrage bill now pending in the Commons.

According to Mrs. Paulhurst, the plans for the movement have all been completed and will go into operation unless the prime minister recedes from his position.

Those were Mr. Cluff's questions, and then although he declared very emphatically that he did not support either candidate, he thought the constituents ought to vote for Mr. Clark, and the audience enjoyed the joke and laughed heartily.

Mr. Hyndman Annoyed

(Mr. J. D. Hyndman) got rather worked up over his speech and lost that touch for which he has a reputation.

He stated that if Vermillion elected the Premier it would be known as the back door to the Legislature. This raised the crowd and the speaker was hosted. Mr. Hyndman took occasion to declare that the Liberal papers were not telling the truth, and that the next breath he made some statements to that effect.

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Today is the day when the tale will be told. All through the constituency the voters are turning out in good numbers and a fair sized vote will be polled. There is not slight doubt as to what the result will be.

Vermillion and Innisfree ought to give large majorities for the Premier. Banffshire may be depended upon to give a majority to Clark, and Mannville will break even. The vote around Lethbridge will be about even, with either Way. And the whole northern part of the constituency should give a good majority to Mr. Cluff.

The Premier is staying in town today and will wait here until the returns are all in. It is expected that fairly complete returns will be in by midnight.

PRISONER WENT MAD

Berlin, June 27.—The trial of the famous beauty Frau von Schenck, who became crazy yesterday, when the woman became a raving maniac. The trial lasted all day yesterday and the woman was sent to the mad house.

Captain Von Goeben, to whom the woman was married, had been ill for some time and had been confined to bed.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29, 1910.

Mr. Bennett's statement that he intends to retire from politics at an early date would be surprising, but for the fact that he has already been doing at least ten days' work of very active opposition to the premier and one of his new ministers, and the junior member for Calgary has taken no part in either campaign. It is not often that a man gives up his political career under such circumstances, and his action will mystify the public. The Capital strongly opposed the stand which Mr. Bennett took in the House, but no one who followed the proceedings there can fail to agree that it was the sheer ability with which he handled the case that made the attack on him so ineffectual. It was he who was blamed for the large reduction in the government's majority. Now with his party inspired by new hope largely as a result of his operations, he is to abandon the field. It cannot mean that he is emulating Cinelinius, for he is a franky a very ambitious man and success in the provincial field, would, with the large backing which he would be able to secure, undoubtedly lead to a place being made for him in the more congenial arena of national politics. That his party associates were not altogether responsible for his fall was made clear when in controversy arose at its height and at a Conservative meeting in Edmonton, Mr. McCarthy was cheered as the prospective provincial leader.

Even if Mr. Bennett did not participate in the Vernonville imbroglio, there was one respect in which his methods were closely followed. One of his great weaknesses as a politician is his tendency to make wild charges, which he makes no attempt to substantiate himself and which those against whom they are directed are able to disprove very speedily. In yesterday's Capital our staff correspondent called attention to the large number of stories totally without foundation in fact, which had been set forth in the columns of the paper as an endeavor to stimulate the electors. These tactics have steadily acted as a boomerang to the Conservative organization for years past, here as elsewhere in the Dominion. They always fail of their immediate purpose and bring the whole party into discredit. Now that it has a chance to make a fresh start, it should make an effort to build up a reputation for fairness and intelligence in its mode of operations. It degrades the whole pursuit of politics to slander reputable citizens whose only offence is that they are working on behalf of the other party.

It is astonishing how many misleading statements have been made in regard to Mr. Rutherford's resignation. What happened in that connection and the proceedings which followed are well known to everybody. But for the sake of making a little political capital, all kinds of misrepresentation has been indulged in. This from the Calgary Albertan is quite as gross as that which Conservative speakers have been guilty of in Vermilion:

"It seems now, according to certain persons, that the Premier Rutherford was not driven from office at all, but just got somewhat tired of the job and decided to quit. He said in his valedictory that there was so much opposition to him in the party that he couldn't make peace and get out. This is pretty close to being driven out. If there had been a crevice for even a toe hold he would still have been on the job."

This is exceedingly unfair to the ex-premier. The premiership he assumed as a trust from the party which was in the ascendency in provincial politics. He did not thrust himself forward for the position and there is absolutely no reason to believe that he would have remained in it for a moment after his followers had concluded it was in the party's interest that he should withdraw. There is no doubt that they came to this conclusion, having in view the situation created by the events of the past few months, and that he shared them of any kinship himself. At the same time it

was agreed that Mr. Sifton was the man to take up his mantle. This and nothing more was involved in his resignation and in the choice of his successor. None of those who supported Mr. Rutherford's administration ever represented it as otherwise. But there is nothing akin in this to the Sclines case in British Columbia or the Lacombe case in Quebec, as has been charged. There was no malice. The premier resigned voluntarily, quite apart from any action of the Lieutenant-Governor, and the latter in calling Mr. Sifton, did exactly what he was called upon to do under constitutional practice.

The holding of the Edmonton exhibition in August makes it possible to secure an adequate display of the grains, grasses and root of the district. This is a feature that will be of such decided value in impressing the public mind, and suggests the desirability of always holding the annual fair late in the summer, instead of early as heretofore.

Is not it a trifling early to begin to talk about making a match for the young Prince of Wales? Already, so the cables tell us, he appears over-powered by the sense of the responsibilities of his position. Cannot he be left to be king for a few years beyond the age of sixteen? He will be all the better for it when he is called upon to take up the serious duties that lie before him.

ASSESSMENT IS NEAR \$7,000,000

Strathcona Assessment Commissioner Presents His Annual Report to the Council

The report of the city assessor for Strathcona, submitted to the city council last evening showed the total assessment of the city this year to be \$6,816,491.64, made up in detail of total real estate assessment, \$6,502,695.00; business assessment, \$243,060.60; income assessment, \$8,700. The real estate in the city taxable for public and school purposes is \$5,748,730.35, and total personal property, \$93,35, making the total value of city property on which taxes can be levied for public school purposes \$5,650.13. The total value of city property taxable for separate school purposes is \$84,357.75.

This is made up of real property to the value of \$81,394.50 is taxable for city school purposes, the taxes on \$157,453.50 going to the public schools and the taxes on the remainder, \$24,955.00 going to the separate schools.

This report was then adopted by the council.

The electric light committee recommended the installation of an extension, at a cost of \$1,300, of the electric light service, to Shellbourne subdivision, and the recommendation was adopted by the council.

A suggestion was made by Alderman Condon that discount be offered on all water rates paid before the 15th of the month as an incentive to the ratepayers for prompt settlement of their bills. His argument was that it would eventually save money as the water bill is already costing a considerable amount. The general treasurer then stated that the arrears at present amounted to \$6,000 but that he was confident that by the end of the quarter the amount could be reduced to \$2,000 or even less, and it was therefore decided to take no steps in the matter at present.

Mr. McKernan, manager of the Bijou Picture Theatre, made a request through Alderman Tipton, that the weekly band concerts be held earlier in the evening so that the people could participate in the theatre afterwards. On being asked, the theatre was reduced to \$10. Alderman Tipton explained that he was bringing up the matter because Mr. McKernan had asked him to do so, but that he thought the request was a reasonable one.

Tenders for the cement required by the public works department this summer were received and considered.

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ROYAL ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY

Possibly owing to the stormy nature of the elements Monday evening there was not such a large attendance as at the usual meeting in the Odd Fellows' Hall. A pleasing feature,

however, was the attendance of a number of visitors fresh from the Old Country and their addition to the membership roll. The chair was taken by the president, A. W. Challand, and the evening was mainly devoted to reports of committees and social inter-

course. It was incidentally mentioned that the concert had proved an unequalled success, although arrangements and a heavy quota of thanks was accorded to the committee for their services. Probably this success led to a proposition that the society should hold a picnic and the same committee were appointed to make full arrangements. It was decided to forward a vote of condolence to the family of the late Mrs. H. Hughes, whose recent demise was regretted by all. During the evening A. R. Ray presided at the piano. A. Edwards, James Murphy, James Hague, Ray Farquharson, E. S. Harvey and A. J. Williams favored the company with songs, etc.

THE ALASKAN

Chicago claimed with one accord that the new revised Richard Caron-Gus Weinberg edition of the Tom Polk musical comedy "The Alaskan" was the best, brightest, and easiest thing, in the light of which they had been having fun. Whately City in mid-day. We will have an opportunity this week to pass judgment on the new edition of the Girard-Blech's effort, as this production is Manager Kyle's offering for Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The large company presenting the play certainly contains a superior list of musical comedy celebrities, and besides Richard F. Carroll and Gus Weinberg, includes Detmar Poppen, who will be seen as Totem Pete, Sidney Algiers, Al Raub, Lockhardt, Marelle Scott and a large chorus of show girls, Esquimaux and miners.

G. T. P. PROMOTION

Vancouver, B.C., June 29.—George A. McNicoll, purchasing agent here for Grand Trunk Pacific, has been promoted to be superintendent of that railway at Prince Rupert.

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On Saturday last the above school held its first annual picnic. The children and friends, met at the church and proceeded by car to the C.N.R. depot, where a special train was in waiting to convey them to their grounds at St. Albert. When the train pulled out at 1.30 p.m. there was a happy crowd of about 140 on board. After an enjoyable run the village of St. Albert was reached. Everyone lent a willing hand and the provisions were soon removed to the picnic spot, a beautiful shade spot in the trees. After the company had enjoyed some O'Langlin's beverage they scattered to meet again at tea time. Some enjoyed the quiet shade of the trees, others went up the river boating, while the boys had a dip in the cool water.

About 6 o'clock the children began to get closer to the estates and while tea was being prepared by the teachers races were run, the Rev. Canon Webb acting as starter and Rev. R. Jefferson as judge. A hungry bundle of morsels sat down to tea. Reluctantly the little ones had to confess they were satisfied, and games filled the time till 7.30, when the party returned to the train. The homeward journey was very enjoyable and at the depot the company disbanded, each one happy and contented. The beautiful day, the pleasant camping ground and the good things provided by the ladies all contributed in making the day a decidedly successful one.

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About Town

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Arthur Scarlett was arrested yesterday in Leduc by the mounted police on a charge of seducing Jessie Shewell under promise of marriage. He was brought to Edmonton and will stand preliminary trial at the mounted police barracks, possibly today.

The announcement emanates from District Passenger Agent McNeillie, of the C. P. R., at Calgary that the tri-weekly midnight train between Calgary and Strathcona will be made permanent, at least for the summer, on account of the success of the venture.

Black Watch Camp, Sons of Scotland Benevolent Association will meet in Houston's Hall this evening, 29th inst., and at 8.30 o'clock. Gandy organizer Angus McF. S. Allan is in the city with the object of organizing Black Watch Camp. Members of the association now resident in Edmonton and district are extended a very cordial invitation to visit the local camp which meets twice each month at the first and third Wednesdays.

The first open-air concert by the Citizens' Band will be given this evening in the band stand, College Avenue, commencing at 8 o'clock. The following numbers will be played: March, "Rolleto;" waltz, "Poetical" selection, "Songs of Scotland" overture, "Down the Mississippi;" baritone solo, "Death of Nelson;" Mr. John Bell; lullaby, "Sweet and Low;" intermezzo, from "Mefistofele;" march, "O Canada;" God Save the King.

The Daily Capital has received from Mr. H. C. Anderson, manager of the Edmonton branch of the Traders Bank, an "Expense Book" which that institution has had prepared, and is distributing. Its purpose is to enable one to keep track of his or her personal and household expenses. At the end of each week it is possible to see at a glance just how the money that has gone out in that period has been expended. Additional information is given as to banking methods which will be welcome to many to whom such matters are new, and a mystery than they should be. The management will be pleased to provide anyone calling at the bank with a copy.

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Personal

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Among twenty visitors to the board of trade office yesterday, was Mr. H. A. Farley, who is now touring Canada as the correspondent of the Glasgow (Scotland) Herald. Mr. Farley, is talking about crop conditions in the south of the province, said that he was not favorably impressed. On traveling northward, though, things began to look better, and he noticed a much better luxuriance of vegetation. Mr. Farley has been in British Columbia studying the fruit conditions and reports favorably. He left last night

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to be presented to Sir Wilfrid Laurier on his visit to Edmonton in August next and also to the Honorable Frank Oliver.

It is imperative that all the members of the Young Ladies Circle of Westminster Church be present at the church at 7.30 sharp this evening, Wednesday, in view of the concert to be held next Tuesday evening.

The Ladies Aid of St. Luke's Parish, will be gratified for any donations towards the special furnishings for this church, which may be sent to Mrs. W. A. Dixon, secretary-treasurer, Box 1733, Edmonton, and will be acknowledged through the paper.

The Salvation Army will have their annual picnic on Friday, July 1st, at Mr. Hugh McKay's place corner of Careys and Woodland. Arrangements will be made for the car to leave Cushing's mill about one o'clock. The picnic ground is only a short distance north of the car line. A special invitation is extended to all Army Friends and to any stranger in the city. The band will render music during the afternoon and evening. A good time is expected. The band will go to Strathcona this evening when the Salvation Army flag will be presented to Strathcona corps.

C. N. R. STATION BURNED

Winnipeg, June 29.—Ward has been advised here that the Canadian Northern station at Greenway on the Virden branch has been destroyed by fire.

CRENDINNIN-KETCHESON

At seven o'clock this morning the marriage of J. M. Crendinian, principal of the Norwood school, and Miss E. R. Ketcheson, a teacher at Queen's University, took place in the First Presbyterian Church, Rev. Dr. McQueen officiating. Miss Cairns and Mr. McQuaid attended the bride and groom. Mr. and Mrs. Crendinian left for Banff this morning, where they will spend their honeymoon.

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